

SENATE BILL 665

By Haile

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 69,
Chapter 9 and Title 70, relative to commercial non-
motorized vessel outfitters.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 69-9-227, is amended by adding the
following new subsection:

(c)

(1) Any operating permit fee assessed by the commission under this
section is limited to the amount of the commission fee imposed on a commercial
fisherman.

(2)

(A) In maintaining information on the number and type of non-
motorized vessels leased each day, the outfitter shall compile the
information for the commission in the following ranges:

(i) Less than one hundred (100);

(ii) One hundred one (101) to five hundred (500); and

(iii) More than five hundred (500).

(B) The information compiled in subdivision (c)(2)(A) must be
provided under seal only for the use of the agency, and may only be used
in the aggregate in agency reports and records.

(3) The commission may implement a parking pass system, which may
include a reasonable fee for each outfitter based on the number of vehicles or

trailers in use by an outfitter. The payment of the fee would authorize access and parking at agency owned or controlled public access areas.

(4) The fees authorized by this section are the only permissible fees that the commission may assess under this section.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect on July 1, 2019, the public welfare requiring it.